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*In re* Patent Application of: )  
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SCREENING USING BIOLOGICAL )  
MEMBRANE MICROARRAYS )

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**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed August 10, 2006, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following remarks:

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**Remarks** start on page 6 of this paper.